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OWINGSVILLE, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, NOV. 5, 1908.

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ELECTION RETURNS.—At the time of going to press Wednesday morning the news was that Taft had carried all the doubtful States of the North and West and was overwhelmingly elected.

Kehoe seems to have defeated Bennett by probably 500.

Bath county gave Bryan 265 plurality and Kehoe 206.

It seems that Davis has defeated Langley in the Tenth district and that Kentucky has gone Democratic. It also seems that Chandler, Democrat, is elected Governor of New York.

Bring your job work to THE OUTLOOK office.

Ellis Byron, of Dayton, Tenn., came up Tuesday to vote.

Best calico 5c, best outing 9c for cash at Mrs. Estill's.

The Presbyterian Church has been repaired and painted.

Go to Mrs. Estill's for children's saques and caps, cheap.

The furnace for the High School building arrived Monday.

The latest report from Miss Louise Guggell was that she was improving.

Bring me your eggs. Highest market price paid for them in cash at Mrs. Estill's.

On Monday, Nov. 16, the gunners can shoot game lawfully and for six weeks thereafter.

The Democratic county primary Saturday is the next thing of interest to look forward to.

Rev. J. M. Sedgwick, of Mobile, Ala., will preach at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday.

Hog-killing, Thanksgiving and Christmas to look forward to before the blue days of winter come on.

Rev. Weldon, student at the Winchester Ky. Wesleyan College, preached at the M. E. Church Sunday morning and night.

Robt. Franklin, Democrat of Frankfort, made a strong speech to a large audience at the Court house Saturday.

Esau and Honaker have received a pair of Barcus horse stocks and now show the wildest horse without danger to the animal.

Old Crimp came Friday morning and has loafed about ever since somewhat disappointed that there is no water standing outdoors to freeze.

UNTIL AFTER ELECTION.—The surveying corps of the C. K. & V. railroad, which has been working in Bourbon county, stopped work, to resume if Taft is elected, but not if Bryan wins.

HALLOWE'ENING.—The boys had a delicious time last Saturday night and toiled and sweated in the firm belief that they were doing something funny in moving portable property to unseemly places.

RESIDENCE BURNED.—The residence of Samuel Shultz, Jr., on Mud Lick, burned Friday night. It is supposed that it caught from woods fire. Nothing of consequence was saved from the burning building.

SENT TO ASYLUM.—Marshall Johnson, aged 18 years, from the southwestern part of the county, was tried here and ordered sent to the insane asylum. He had been in Uncle Sam's service in Oregon and became deranged.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.—Letters addressed to the following remained uncalled for in the Owingsville postoffice Nov. 1, 1908. Those calling for same will please say they are advertised:

R. A. Fields, W. T. Young, W. F. Perry, Ike Steney, Lewis Wood, Auther Barines, Miss Annie Sargent, Mrs. Jas. A. Reffett, J. A. Barnes, P. M.

STORE AND POSTOFFICE BURNED.—The general store of J. S. McClure at Pebble was burned Thursday night. The loss was some thousands of dollars, with no insurance. The postoffice was kept by Cliff Hendrix in the store. About thirty-five dollars' worth of stamps, etc., were destroyed. The fire is believed to be of incendiary origin, as Mr. McClure had received a number of warning notices. He sent to Lexington for bloodhounds to come next day, but they gave no clue.

PERSONAL.

Dr. I. W. Jones was in Lexington Thursday on business.

Alex Conner attended Circuit Court at Morehead last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Waddell, of Millersburg, visited Miss Kate Conner last week.

Eugene Minihan and wife returned Friday from a visit at Covington and Cincinnati.

Miss Ruth McClintock, of Millersburg, came last week to visit her sister Mrs. T. M. Perry.

Mrs. Effie May Myers, of Southern Ky., is visiting Mrs. John F. Conner, of upper Prickly Ash.

Mrs. J. B. Goodpaster went last week to visit her niece Mrs. T. Johnson Clancy, in Louisville.

Miss Margaret Walden, of Salt Lake City, Utah, came this week to visit her uncle Dr. A. W. Walden.

Misses Lizzie and Sallie Williamson, of Preston neighborhood, visited relatives in Owingsville Monday.

Clarence McAlister came up from Lexington Tuesday afternoon in time to vote, returning the same day.

Omar and Sam Barber and Arthur Power, of Louisville, and Clarence Power, of Rowan county, came in to the election.

Mr. John W. Honaker and two little sons spent from Wednesday till Thursday with her sister Mrs. James H. Wood, in Mt. Sterling.

Miss May Daugherty returned home last week from a protracted visit to her sisters Mrs. Claude Paxton and Mrs. W. L. Killpatrick, in Mt. Sterling.

Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Jones were royally entertained at a dinner Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Warner, at their country home on Slate Creek, west of town.

Judge C. W. Goodpaster and wife visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Jennie McAlister, at Mt. Sterling, last week. Judge Goodpaster also attended Circuit Court at Morehead.

Mrs. Jane Murray, after a visit to her brothers John and James Gillon, of this town, and sister Miss Chess Glover, of Flat Creek, returned home to East St. Louis, Illinois.

W. T. Jones and son Noble, of Nicholas county, paid us a call on Friday on their return home from a visit to W. W. Razor and other relatives in the Salt Lick neighborhood.

Mrs. Anna Richards, who accompanied her sister Mrs. R. A. Walton as far as Cincinnati on her way to join her husband, Rev. R. A. Walton, in Texas, returned home last week.

Joseph Hart, wife and little daughter Victoria returned to their home in Georgetown, Ill., Saturday, after a three-weeks' visit to his parents, Wm. Hart and wife, and other relatives on Roe's Run.

J. J. Lacy returned Wednesday of last week from a visit to his sister Mrs. R. P. DeGraffenreid, at Muskogee, Ind. Territory. Mrs. Lou Lacy, his mother, who went out there with him, remained for a protracted visit.

Mrs. F. P. Guggell and daughter Miss Louise went down Wednesday of last week to Louisville, where they were joined by Dr. Guggell Thursday and on Saturday a dangerous surgical operation was performed on Miss Louise.

Henry Estill, accompanied by Mr. Hess, of West Virginia, returned home last week from work with the C. K. & V. surveying corps in Bourbon county. Chas. Brother also came by way of Mt. Sterling, where he visited his sister Mrs. S. S. Pinney.

KINSMAN OF BATH COUNTY FOLKS.—John W. Kern, candidate for Vice President, is a cousin of Simon and Barton Kerns, and the other families of the name in this county. When Mr. Kern learns how many of his connections in Nicholas county have voted for him we are confident he will restore the s which his branch of the family seems to have dropped, for he will then rejoice in the plural form of the name, and the plurality of his kith and kin.—Carlisle Democrat.

Barton Kerns is well known to a great many of our people, having resided in the county for many years and of late spends part of the time with his son-in-law John Allen, of Harper's Branch.

BURLEY TOBACCO SOCIETY.

Inasmuch as the country has been flooded with false and malicious statements in regard to the Burley Tobacco Society, its purposes, its management and its prospects, we believe it an opportune time to correct these statements and inform our members. In the first place, why this great interest in the welfare of the grower on the part of newspapers, warehousemen, speculators and trust buyers, an interest which is newborn and had no existence when prices were low, when the farmer was downtrodden and the trust held undisputed sway in the tobacco trade? This interest and these misstatements and criticisms come from a few honest people who believe the organization responsible for lawlessness, and who have not looked deep enough into the situation to find out that this lawlessness is caused by previous lawlessness on the part of the trust, and is the blind effort of a few unreasonable men who seek to remedy one wrong with another, and who strike back because they themselves are hurt. With this exception these false statements come from venal sources, from men who for a consideration or from private interest seek to overthrow this organization of farmers.

A great outcry has been made about extravagant salaries; it is sufficient to state that though over four million dollars have been distributed to growers not one cent of salary has been paid to any member of the District Board, the Executive Committee or the President himself. And when salaries are voted and paid they will be so reasonable that no fair-minded grower will grudge one cent of them to the men who have done the work, planned the business and stood the attacks and criticisms of those who wished the failure of this movement.

Of the ten per cent. reserve eight per cent. is deposited in the various counties where it will do the farmers most good and at no distant day the greater part by far will be distributed to the individual growers.

It has been stated that too much has been charged for handling tobacco; in only a few instances has more been charged for this service than is the usual charge for the same. And in these instances there were other benefits to be given that more than counterbalanced the charge, and in no case any profit to the Burley Tobacco Society or its management. In most cases forward to prove this clearly shown that the tobacco was voluntarily into a private contract to pay these fees when he was free to have made other and better contracts or have done the work himself.

From some sources it has been claimed that the tobacco has lost too much in weight; mistakes are liable to occur in any business, but it is a queer fact that such losses are reported more frequently on tobacco stored and sampled in the old-established warehouses of the cities than on tobacco in the equity warehouses in the counties; this disproves the charge or insinuation of mismanagement or graft on the part of the Society.

The trust has used every means to disrupt our Society. It has paid the independent grower more money for the 1906 and 1907 crops than they ever dreamed of getting; it has tempted our own members to violate their contract by offering unheard-of prices; it is offering still higher prices for the 1908 crop. It has substituted inferior tobaccos and sought to starve us out. It has refused to buy any considerable amount of our tobacco at our prices, and has made no bona fide effort to buy at any price; but in the face of all this we present a solid front. The Burley Tobacco Society still exists and is doing business as brightly as ever. We have orders for 1907 tobacco which, if filled, will consume nearly all of that crop. The crop of 1908 was cut out beyond our most sanguine expectations and the great drought has still further diminished the available supply.

Let every farmer and every county hurry in their samples so that the 1907 crop can be priced and both crops sold.

Above all, let every farmer discourage intemperate talk and more intemperate acts. Law and order are worth more than all tobacco crops. Lawlessness and the fear of lawlessness has done us incalculable injury. The Society has never countenanced any violation of the law. We believe in the majority ruling, but we in-

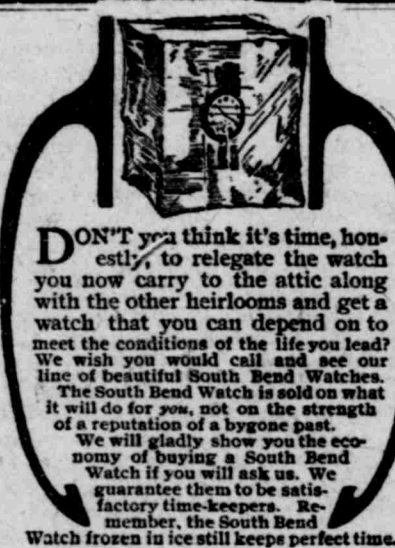
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| Outing | 8, 9, 10c | Children's Hose | 5, 15c |
| Cotton | 7, 8, 9c | Men's Socks | 5, 25c |
| Canton Cotton | 6, 9, 10c | Men's Work Gloves | 10, 90c |
| Ginghams | 6, 8, 10c | Men's Pants | 90c, \$2.50 |
| Woolen Dress Goods | 35, 40, 45, 50, 55c | Men's Suits | \$3.50, \$9.00 |
| Ladies' Underwear, suits | 45c | Boys' Suits (knee pants) | \$1, \$3.00 |
| Children's "suit | 25, 35c | Children's Shoes | 60c, \$1.50 |
| Men's "garment | 45c | Ladies' Shoes | \$1.25, \$2.00 |
| Men's Overalls, pair | 35, 40c | Men's Shoes | \$1, \$2.00 |
| Men's Work Shirt | 45, 50c | Men's Boots | \$1.50, \$4.00 |
| Boys' Work Shirt | 20, 10c | Suvar, 18 pounds, | \$1.00 |

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sist it must rule by lawful means and not by force. We insist that those who have entered into contracts shall be made to abide by their contracts, but only by process of law.

BURLEY TOBACCO SOCIETY, by The Executive Committee.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY.—Miss Juelda Conner entertained about forty of her friends with a Halloween party Saturday night. The company was dressed up in sheets and pillow slips and looked ghostly enough for any purpose. All sorts of games appropriate to the occasion were indulged in and fortunes told to perfection. Appetizing refreshments were served. The guests enjoyed themselves to the limit.

PRIMARY DECLARED OFF.—There being no opposition to Judge A. W. Young for Circuit Judge and A. B. White for Commonwealth's Attorney, the Democratic Committee of the 21st Judicial district, composed of Bath, Montgomery, Menifee and Rowan counties, met at Mt. Sterling Wednesday and declared the primary off for November 10 and Young and White the nominees.

Next Monday will be County Court day.

V. M. THORNSBURG'S DEATH.—Van M. Thornsburg fell over in the field while shucking corn Thursday morning, Oct. 29, and died in the afternoon of next day. Apoplexy or paralysis caused his death. He was buried at Bethel Saturday.

Deceased was 74 years old last September. He was a native of this county and was raised on Salt Lick Creek. He married Miss Josephine Bush, of Clark county, and resided the balance of his life in Bethel precinct near the Nicholas line. His wife and three children survive: Laura, wife of J. W. Reid, of Little Jordan, Nicholas county; Mollie, wife of Sam Finch, and Grant (Cap), both of near the father's home. A sister, Mrs. Wills, of Salt Lick, also survives. Mr. Thornsburg was a good man and first-class citizen, enjoying a high reputation for integrity and was esteemed by his community. His family have condolence of many friends in their loss.

MOTHER AND SON CONVICTED.—Mrs. Hick Talley, aged about 60 years, and her 18-year-old son were tried last Thursday in the Sharrsburg Police Court on the charge of stealing corn from a neighbor and sentenced to thirty and ninety days respectively in jail.

BUGGY ROBES.

Just opened a nice, new, up-to-date stock of BUGGY ROBES and HORSE BLANKETS. The goods are the best and the price is very low.

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Everybody seems to want post cards, so why not come in and look through my line? Don't forget the Racket keeps the largest line of lamps in town, so come in and select one for your sweetheart as a Christmas present.

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| "Heavy Underwear | 48c | "Gloves | 1.25, 98, 50, 25, 10c |
| Ladies' Heavy Underwear | 25c | "Pants | \$3.00 to 50c |
| Children's Heavy "suit | 25c | Men's Overalls, good, | 50c |
| Children's Hoods | 25c | Men's Shoes at prices to suit all. | |
| Children's Caps | 25, 20, 15, 10c | Men's Wool Socks | 25, 15c |
| Children's Gloves | 15, 10c | Men's Fancy Socks | 25, 15, 10c |
| Children's Belts | 10c | Men's Heavy Fleece-lined Socks | 15, 10c |
| Children's Shoes, light to heavy, | \$1.25 to 50c | Ladies' Fancy Hose | 50, 25, 15, 10c |
| Men's Work Shirts | 50, 25c | Ladies' Heavy Fleece-lined Hose | 15, 10c |
| "Fine | 75, 50c | Ladies' Wool Hose | 15, 10c |
| "Heavy | \$1.00 | Ladies' Handkerchiefs | 10, 5c |
| Sweaters | 50c | Ladies' Gloves | \$1.00, 50, 25, 10c |
| Boys' "Work Shirts | 25c | Ladies' Corset Covers | 50, 40, 25, 10c |
| "Suspenders | 15, 10, 5c | | |
| Men's Suspenders | 40, 25, 15, 10c | | |

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MOFFETT-SAUNDERS.—Howard Payne Moffett and Miss Bettie Saunders were married last week at the home of the bride's parents, E. B. Saunders and wife, near Sharrsburg, by Rev. Partee, pastor of the Sharrsburg Baptist Church. Only the families of the bride and bridegroom were present. Mr. and Mrs. Moffett left after the ceremony for a bridal trip to Cincinnati.

The bride is a sister of Mrs. A. N. Crooks, whom she has visited frequently. Mr. Moffett is the youngest child of the late Z. T. Moffett.

ACCIDENT TO BOY.—Robert Shields' son Wick, aged 10 years, while riding horseback Sunday afternoon at the home farm on Flat Creek fell off of the horse and his foot hung in the stirrup. He was dragged some distance over the rough ground and was badly bruised. The stirrup leather finally broke and released the child. He was not dangerously hurt, however.

FIGHT IN CHURCH.—Two sixteen-year-old boys by the name of Teal and Swarts engaged in fight over precedence to a seat in the midst of religious services at Sharrsburg school-house Monday night. The lights were all put out and a number of women fainting from fright during the fight.

Some men put everything off till tomorrow with the exception of bill collectors, and they put them off indefinitely.

When a young man goes around looking as if he hadn't a friend on earth it is either a case of love or indigestion.

A woman writes a letter to another woman as though the document were one of national importance.

GOT WHAT HE ASKED FOR.—Spurred on by newspaper taunts, possibly a plainclothes man, the Atlanta police set out one day to detect violations of the prohibition law. On Decatur street he met an old negro whose condition he considered "suspicious."

"Say, uncle," he whispered with a wink, "do you know where I could get some whisky?" "I spec' mebbe I kin git you sum if yer gin me de money," replied the suspected one.

"Well, here is a two dollar bill. I'll wait in the alley here. Now hurry back."

"Yes, boss, ef yer'll jist hole dis box uv shoes fer me," and the policeman had the box under his arm before he knew it, while the darkie shambled off down the street, turning the first corner.

Thinking he was on a warm trail and would soon have an important prisoner and witness with the "goods on him," the sleuth waited in patience. An hour had gone by and he was getting tired. Two hours and still no sign of the messenger.

Wearily and discouraged he returned to the police station. He suddenly remembered the shoes under his arm and decided to have a look. The box contained, carefully wrapped, a full quart of whisky.

When a woman wants a new bonnet she will never let up on her husband until he comes down with the price.

A man can always flatter a woman by guessing her age at ten years under what he thinks it is.

Between a practical man and a genius the difference is the former usually makes a living for his family.